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APPLICANT: LEPEBRE, DAVID  
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CONTROLLED CHANNEL  
ELECTROPHORESIS SYSTEM  
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REQUEST FOR  
RECONSIDERATION

Via Facsimile: 703-872-9311  
AFTER FINAL GROUP 1700 FAX  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed October 27, 2003, Applicant offers the following request for reconsideration of the maintenance of the rejections of claims 1-62 of the application and discussion of points raised in the outstanding Final Office Action.

Applicant thanks Examiners Nguyen, Crispino, and Ball for the courtesies extended in telephone interviews granted, and for their review of this matter, and this request for reconsideration is submitted pursuant to the telephone interview of December 3<sup>rd</sup> 2003 with Examiner Nguyen.

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